# DETROIT CITY COUNCIL ADJOURNED SESSION AGENDA 11:00 A.M. AUDITORIUM

FRIDAY, AUGUST 8, 2008

## **NEW BUSINESS**

COUNCIL MEMBER JOANN WATSON WILL PRESENT
THE SPIRIT OF DETROIT AWARD TO
DEVANTE' PEARSON AND DESSIE SEATON
IN HONOR OF THEIR HEROIC WORK – FOUND A SENIOR
CITIZENS LOST WALLET AND RETURNED IT
WITH MONEY AND ID INTACT.

## RESOLUTION

1. **All Council Members,** reso. autho. as **AMENDED,** the Rules and Procedures presented by its Special Counsel Mr. William Goodman to this Honorable Body entitled, *Detroit City Council Rules and Procedures for Hearings and Related Proceedings, For Forfeiture of Elective or Appointed City Office.* 

## PUBLIC COMMENT

## FINANCE DEPARTMENT/PURCHASING DIVISION

2. **Watson,** reso. autho. **Contract No. 2765500** – 100% City Funding – To provide Recreational Services to the Community, not otherwise provided by the department – Northwest Community Programs, Inc., 18100 Meyers Rd., Main Level, Detroit, MI 48235 – Contract Period: Upon Notice to Proceed through June 30, 2009 – Contract Amount Not to Exceed: \$220,000.00. **RECREATION** (PULLED FROM FORMAL SESSION AND BROUGHT BACK AS DIRECTED 07-29-08.)

## **BUILDINGS AND SAFETY ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT**

- 3. **Tinsley-Talabi,** reso. autho. Petition of Greater St. James Fire Baptized Holiness Church (#2441), for "Family Fun Day", August 30, 2008, with temporary street closures in area of 18<sup>th</sup> Street, Selden, and Humbolt. (**GRANT SUBJECT TO DEPARTMENTAL CONDITIONS?**)
- 4. **Tinsley-Talabi,** reso. autho. Petition of The Town Pump Tavern (#2521), for "Pumpstock Music Festival", August 15-17, 2008, on Park Avenue, adjacent to the Town Pump Tavern, between Fisher Freeway Service Drive and Montcalm. (GRANT SUBJECT TO DEPARTMENTAL CONDITIONS?)
- 5. **Tinsley-Talabi,** reso. autho. Petition of Mack Alive (#2595), for "17<sup>th</sup> Annual Parade and Community Rally Celebration", August 23, 2008; temporary land use permit and temporary street closures at 7200 Mack Avenue to East Grand Boulevard (rally at St. Jean and Mack). **(GRANT SUBJECT TO DEPARTMENTAL CONDITIONS?)**
- 6. **Tinsley-Talabi,** reso. autho. Petition of Christland Missionary Baptist Church (#2608), for "4<sup>th</sup> Annual Rock the Block", August 9, 2008, on church property located at 12833 12915 Puritan Avenue, with temporary street closures in area of Appoline, Steel, and Puritan. (**GRANT SUBJECT TO DEPARTMENTAL CONDITIONS?**)

- 7. **Tinsley-Talabi,** reso. autho. Petition of Detroit Academy of Arts and Sciences (#2704), for "District Registration Carnival", August 16, 2008, at 2260 Medbury. (**GRANT SUBJECT TO DEPARTMENTAL CONDITIONS?**)
- 8. **Tinsley-Talabi,** reso. autho. Petition of Assumption (Grotto) Church (#2746), for temporary food permit for the "Celebration of Feast Day", August 15, 2008, on parish grounds at 13770 Gratiot Avenue. **(GRANT SUBJECT TO DEPARTMENTAL CONDITIONS?)**

## **BUILDINGS AND SAFETY ENGINEERING and POLICE DEPARTMENTS**

9. **Tinsley-Talabi,** reso. autho. Petition of Harvest Life, Inc. (#2617), for "We Will Make a Difference - Part 1 – Revival and Community Clean-Up", August 10-17, 2008, in area of W. Grand Blvd., Linwood, Euclid, and Dexter. (**Police Department recommends DENIAL of request due to improper address and documentation of the proper ownership. Buildings and Safety Engineering Department recommends GRANTING.) (GRANT SUBJECT TO DEPARTMENTAL CONDITIONS?)** 

## CITY CLERK'S OFFICE

10. **Tinsley-Talabi,** reso. autho. Petition of Change For Life Organization (#2847), request designation as a Non-Profit Organization in the City of Detroit. (**GRANT SUBJECT TO DEPARTMENTAL CONDITIONS?**)

## CITY CLERK'S and CITY PLANNING COMMISSION

11. **S. Cockrel,** reso. autho. four (4) Applications for Neighborhood Enterprise Zone Certificates for Morningside Community.

## CITY COUNCIL RESEARCH AND ANALYSIS DIVISION

- 12. **Jones,** Resolution Appointing the Honorable Adam A. Shakoor Legal/Judicial Advisor for the impending forfeiture hearings.
- 13. **Watson,** Resolution in Support of U.S. House Bill H.R. 676, *United States National Health Insurance Act or the Expanded and Improved Medicare for All Act* and House Bill H.R. 6613, *Improving Dental Access in Underserved Communities*.

## ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION

14. Collins, REVISED reso. autho. Demolition of entire Tiger Stadium in connection with the Tiger Stadium Property Redevelopment Project. (PULLED FROM FORMAL SESSION AND BROUGHT BACK AS DIRECTED 07-29-08.) (AWAITING STATUS REPORT.)

## FIRE DEPARTMENT

- 15. **Tinsley-Talabi,** reso. autho. Petition of Omni International Ministries (#2656), for "7-day Christian Revival and Community Clean-Up", August 10-17, 2008, in area of 2665 Northwestern Street. **(GRANT SUBJECT TO DEPARTMENTAL CONDITIONS?)**
- 16. **Tinsley-Talabi,** reso. autho. Petition of Nettie Passmore (#2736), for "Big Nel's Labor Day Bash", September 1, 2008, with temporary street closures in area of 16<sup>th</sup> Street between Stanley and Antoinette. (**GRANT SUBJECT TO DEPARTMENTAL CONDITIONS?**)

## PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

17. **Collins,** reso. autho. The Detroit Medical Center, a Michigan Non-Profit Corporation - Rehabilitation Project No. 2 Development of the Northern Section of Tolan Park a/k/a Part of 701 Mack in the amount of \$900,000.00; purposed use in conjunction with property they already own to renovate and expand the existing Children's Hospital located at 3901 Beaubien, into a state-of-the-art medical facility to address the growing volume of over 300,000 patients annually. **(BROUGHT BACK AS DIRECTED ON 07-29-08.)** 

## POLICE DEPARTMENT

- 18. **Tinsley-Talabi,** reso. autho. Petition of Rediscovering Lost Values (RLV) (#2470), request use of Cobo Conference Center, August 15, 2008 and Hart Plaza, August 16, 2008, during "Rediscovering Lost Values Weekend August 14-16, 2008. (**Transportation Department indicates DENIAL due to the need to reroute and the impact on passengers.) (<b>GRANT SUBJECT TO DEPARTMENTAL CONDITIONS?**)
- 19. **Tinsley-Talabi,** reso. autho. Petition of The Phoenix of the Detroit Fire Department (#2497), for "International Association of Black Professional Fire Fighters Memorial March", August 16, 2008, with temporary street closures in area of Jefferson, Woodward, Monroe, Beaubien, E. Congress, etc. (**GRANT SUBJECT TO DEPARTMENTAL CONDITIONS?**)
- 20. **Tinsley-Talabi,** reso. autho. AMENDED Petition of St. Thomas Aquinas Catholic Community (#2519), for "Starfest", September 12 14, 2008, on parish grounds at the corner of Ford Road and Evergreen Road. (**GRANT SUBJECT TO DEPARTMENTAL CONDITIONS?**)
- 21. **Tinsley-Talabi,** reso. autho. Petition of Christian Community Baptist Church (#2599), for "Picnic and Community Day Celebration", August 23, 2008, with temporary street closures in area of Tuxedo, Dexter, Petoskey, Holmer, Elmhurst, and Webb streets. (**GRANT SUBJECT TO DEPARTMENTAL CONDITIONS?**)
- 22. **Tinsley-Talabi,** reso. autho. Petition of Lenox Street Block Club (#2638), for "2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Block Club/Car Show", September 6, 2008, with temporary street closures in area of Lenox Street between E. Jefferson Avenue and Kercheval Avenue. (**GRANT SUBJECT TO DEPARTMENTAL CONDITIONS?**)
- 23. **Tinsley-Talabi,** reso. autho. Petition of Grandmont Community Association (#2654), for "Annual Arts and Crafts Fair", September 7, 2008 (rain date September 14, 2008) with temporary street closures in area of Longacre, Lyndon, and Tournier. (**Department recommends DENIAL due to lack of enclosure of street closure form to ensure 50% cooperation of streets in question.)** (**GRANT SUBJECT TO DEPARTMENTAL CONDITIONS?**) (**AWAITING REPORTS FROM BUILDINGS AND SAFETY ENGINEERING AND PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENTS.**)

## PUBLIC LIGHTING DEPARTMENT

24. **Tinsley-Talabi,** reso. autho. Petition of Detroit International Jazz Festival (#2821), to hang banners to bring "Street Level" Awareness to our Brand and "Brighten Up" corner, August 2008 through May 2009, in area of Griswold Street and State Street. (Awaiting report from Business License Center.) (GRANT SUBJECT TO DEPARTMENTAL CONDITIONS?)

## PUBLIC WORKS and TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENTS

Tinsley-Talabi, reso. autho. Petition of Michigan Black Horsemen's Association (#2550), for "Annual Ride-A-Thon, August 23, 2008, with use of River Rouge Park at Joy Road and Spinoza. (GRANT SUBJECT TO DEPARTMENTAL CONDITIONS?)

## RECREATION DEPARTMENT

- Watson, reso. autho. Petition of Vessels of Praise (#2520), for "Church Picnic", August 9, 2008 (rain date August 16, 2006), with use of Cass Park. (GRANT SUBJECT TO DEPARTMENTAL CONDITIONS?)
- Watson, reso. autho. Petition of Transforming Love Community (#2620), for "Walk-a-Thon and Picnic", September 6, 2008, with use of Palmer Park. (GRANT SUBJECT TO DEPARTMENTAL CONDITIONS?)

- Watson, reso. autho. Petition of Neighborhood Service Organization (NSO) (#2674), for "2008 NSO 5K Detroit RiverRun & Walk", September 6, 2008, with use of Detroit Riverfront Conservancy River Walk pathway e.g. Atwater, Switzer Pl., Woodbridge, Rivard, Franklin, Riopelle, and Orleans. (GRANT SUBJECT TO DEPARTMENTAL CONDITIONS?)
- 29. **Watson,** reso. autho. Petition of Murphy Family Reunion/Carolyn McKissic (#2707), for "Family Picnic", August 30, 2008, with use of Lafayette Park. (GRANT SUBJECT TO DEPARTMENTAL CONDITIONS?)
- 30. **Watson,** reso. autho. Petition of Macedonia Baptist Church (#2752), for "Annual Picnic" August 8, 2008, with use of Flintstone Park, located at Southfield and Acadia. (GRANT SUBJECT TO DEPARTMENTAL CONDITIONS?)

## WATER AND SEWERAGE DEPARTMENT

31. **Tinsley-Talabi,** reso. autho. Water Service Contract between City of Detroit and Charter Township of Redford for thirty (30) year period. **(WAIVER OF RECONSIDERATION REQUESTED.)** 

## **MISCELLANEOUS**

- 32. **Tinsley-Talabi,** reso. autho. Petition of OSK Marketing & Communication, Inc. (#2816), request to dock Exiderdome No. 1, an ocean-going barge, at the Riverside Walkway between Jos Campau and Chene, August 7-15, 2008, for the purpose of exhibiting Siemens' Traveling Industrial Automation Expo and Learning Laboratory. (**GRANT SUBJECT TO DEPARTMENTAL CONDITIONS?**)
- 33. **Tinsley-Talabi,** reso. autho. Petition of Washburn Block Club (#2839), for "Annual Street Party", August 31, 2008, with temporary street closures in area of Washburn, Margarita, and Clarita. (**GRANT SUBJECT TO DEPARTMENTAL CONDITIONS?**)
- 34. **Tinsley-Talabi,** reso. autho. Petition of Betty J. Godbolt (#2842), for "Barbeque", August 23, 2008, with temporary street closures in area of Wilfred, Parkdrive, and Dickerson. (**GRANT SUBJECT TO DEPARTMENTAL CONDITIONS?**)
- 35. **Tinsley-Talabi,** reso. autho. Petition of Tiffany McNeal (#2845), for "Block Party", August 30, 2008, with temporary street closures in area of Freeland between Jeffries Freeway and Tyler Street. (**GRANT SUBJECT TO DEPARTMENTAL CONDITIONS?**)
- Watson, reso. autho. Petition of Wings of Love Ministries (#2372), for "Annual Church Picnic", August 16, 2008, with use of Van Antwarp Park, located at Pinehurst and St. Martians. (GRANT SUBJECT TO DEPARTMENTAL CONDITIONS?)
- Watson, reso. autho. Petition of Elizabeth Williams (#2804), for "March for DPS Students", August 16, 2008, in area of W. Euclid, Second, the School Center Building. (GRANT SUBJECT TO DEPARTMENTAL CONDITIONS?)
- 38. **Watson,** reso. autho. Petition of Detroit Belle Isle Grand Prix (#2819), to hang banners August 2008 through September 2008 (30" X 60") displayed from Macarther Bridge, with wording "Detroit Belle Isle Grand Prix", along with image of cars. (GRANT SUBJECT TO DEPARTMENTAL CONDITIONS?)
- Watson, reso. autho. Petition of Museum of African American History (#2835), for "Parade as part of the 26<sup>th</sup> Annual African World Festival Opening Ceremony", August 15, 2008, beginning at Campus Martius Park, southbound on Woodward Avenue, to Hart Plaza. (GRANT SUBJECT TO DEPARTMENTAL CONDITIONS?)

## RESOLUTION

40. **Collins,** Resolution encouraging the Administration to expedite the purchase of the former Southwest Detroit Hospital property in accordance with the Consent Agreement, for the purpose of use as a new Police Detention Center, to stop further damage to the property and to negate any further costs that the city may incur as it relates to the rehabilitation of the site.

# PRESIDENT'S REPORT ON STANDING COMMITTEE REFERRALS AND OTHER MATTERS:

## BUDGET, FINANCE AND AUDIT STANDING COMMITTEE

THE FOLLOWING ITEM(S) ARE TO BE REFERRED TO THE BUDGET, FINANCE AND AUDIT STANDING COMMITTEE:

## FINANCE DEPARTMENT/PURCHASING DIVISION

41. Submitting report relative to all Cumulative Weekly Contracts Exceeding \$5,000.00, but not Exceeding \$25,000.00 for the week of July 21, 2008 through July 25, 2008, broken down by all \$5K - \$25K Purchases and Confirming purchases.

## CITY CLERK'S OFFICE and CITY PLANNING COMMISSION

- 42. Submitting reso. autho. one (1) Application for Neighborhood Enterprise Zone Certificates for Corktown NEZ area.
- 43. Submitting reso. autho. three (3) Applications for Neighborhood Enterprise Zone Certificates for Far East Side area.
- 44. Submitting reso. autho. one (1) Application for Neighborhood Enterprise Zone Certificates for Midtown area.

## CITY COUNCIL FISCAL ANALYSIS DIVISION

45. Submitting report relative to Gaming Tax Revenue activity through June 2008 and prior fiscal years; the city collected \$178,075,000.00 in gaming tax revenue for 2007-2008, a 0.57% decrease over the prior fiscal year; \$13,032,000.00 in June 2008, a decrease of 0.06% from June 2007, additionally, 2008-2009 budgeted revenue for gaming fees is \$194,078,000.00, a 0.8% increase over the 2007-2008 budget of \$193,025,000.00.

# NEIGHBORHOOD AND COMMUNITY SERVICES STANDING COMMITTEE

THE FOLLOWING ITEM(S) ARE TO BE REFERRED TO THE NEIGHBORHOOD AND COMMUNITY SERVICES STANDING COMMITTEE

## **HUMAN SERVICES DEPARTMENT**

46. Submitting report in response to Council Member Watson's inquiry relative to Finance Department/Purchasing Division Contract No. 2761175 – 100% City Funding – To provide Home Weatherization for Low Income Residents – T & T Builders, 3889 Greenhill Drive, Pinckney, MI 48269 – From April 1, 2008 through Mach 31, 2009 – Not to Exceed \$200,000.00. HUMAN SERVICES (Department indicates that funding for weatherization program is though the Department of Energy (DOE), and in order to meet the funding source requirements the bid process must provide for open and free competition, not allowing for selection based on location; T & T Builders has been state certified by DOE for over twenty years, with their employees trained by the State in required work performance standards.)

## PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

47. Submitting reso. autho. Transfer of Jurisdiction of Surplus Property located at 11751, 11775 Appoline and 11748 and 11764 Steel for the purpose of creating Kendall Community Development Playground, with funding from Wayne County; Contract No. 2762089 – to provide 2008 Park Improvements – Bid Pack #09 (Littlefield Playfield, Fitzpatrick-Warwick Playground and Kendall Community Development Playground).

## PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

48. Submitting reso autho. Petition of Southern Hospitality Restaurant Group (#2648), request for Outdoor Café Permit for Detroit Breakfast House and Grill located at 1241 Woodward Avenue.

## **MISCELLANEOUS**

49. Coleman A. Young, II – House of Representatives State of Michigan submitting letter on behalf of the Martin Luther King Homes, bounded by St. Aubin, Lafayette, Chene, and Larned, relative to the lack of Recreational facilities e.g. swings, hoops, and nets, as well, maintenance of play equipment for the children in that area.

# PLANNING AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT STANDING COMMITTEE

THE FOLLOWING ITEM(S) ARE TO BE REFERRED TO THE PLANNING AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT STANDING COMMITTEE:

## HISTORIC DESIGNATION ADVISORY BOARD

50. Submitting report relative to Petition No. 0381 (2006) recommending designation and proposed ordinance designating the Alger Theater Local Historic District located at 16451 E. Warren Avenue at E. Outer Drive. **INTRODUCE ORDINANCE AND SET PUBLIC HEARING?** 

## PUBLIC HEALTH AND SAFETY STANDING COMMITTEE

THE FOLLOWING ITEM(S) ARE TO BE REFERRED TO THE PUBLIC HEALTH AND SAFETY STANDING COMMITTEE:

## FINANCE DEPARTMENT/PURCHASING DIVISION

- 51. Submitting reso. autho. RESCISSION of Contract No. 2764701 100% City Funding (DWS-871) Repair of Pavement, Sidewalks, Driveways and Curb Cuts Giorgi Concrete LLC/Major Cement Co. JV, 20450 Sherwood, Detroit, MI 48234 Contract Period: Upon City Council's Approval and it shall continue in effect Seven-Hundred Thirty (730) Calendar Days after the start work date contract Amount Not to Exceed: \$6,187,145.00. DWSD (Department indicates Contract is being rescinded due to being resubmitted in error, during July 29, 2008 formal session.)
- 52. Submitting reso. autho. RESCISSION of Contract No. 2721583 (CCR: 11/01/2006) 100% City Funding To Furnish Salt Contract Period: September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2008 Original Department Estimate: \$2,901,770.00 Request Dept. Increase: \$250,000.00 Total Contract Estimated Expenditure to: \$3,151,770.00 Total Contract Estimate: \$3,151,770.00 Total Expended on Contract: \$2,972,266.00 Detailed Reason for Increase: To pay for salt received this year Contractor: Morton Salt, P.O. Box 93052, Chicago, IL 60673-3052. FINANCE (Department indicates Contract is being rescinded because of previous approval by This Honorable Body on July 15, 2008.)
- 53. Submitting Memorandum in response to request relative to **Contract Nos.** 2764699; 2764701; 2764704 Living Wage/Prevailing Wage Certifications.

54. Submitting Memorandum in response to request relative to **Contract No. 2765857** – Appropriations – The Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management - funds for this procurement made available through the 2006 Metropolitan Median Response Systems Grant – charge account number for purchase order is 3601-460210-310100-644100-12578-000000-A1100.

## **BUILDINGS AND SAFETY ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT**

- 55. Submitting reso. autho. Petition of Detroit Academy of Arts and Sciences (#2704), for "District Registration Carnival", August 16, 2008, at 2260 Medbury.
- 56. Submitting reso. autho. Petition of Assumption (Grotto) Church (#2746), for temporary food permit for the "Celebration of Feast Day", August 15, 2008, on parish grounds at 13770 Gratiot Avenue.
- 57. Submitting report relative to request for **EMERGENCY DEMOLITION** of the property located at 5606-10 Campbell, Bldg. 101. (**Recent inspection revealed the property is extensively fire damaged and structurally unsafe to the point of near collapse.)**
- 58. Submitting report relative to request for **EMERGENCY DEMOLITION** of the property located at 2358-64 Elmhurst, Bldg. 101. (**Recent inspection revealed the property is extensively fire damaged and structurally unsafe to the point of near collapse.)**
- 59. Submitting report relative to request for **EMERGENCY DEMOLITION** of the property located at 5141 Jos Campau, Bldg. 101. (**Recent inspection revealed the property is extensively fire damaged and structurally unsafe to the point of near collapse.)**
- 60. Submitting report relative to request for **EMERGENCY DEMOLITION** of the property located at 10352 Mack, Bldg. 101. (**Recent inspection revealed the property is extensively fire damaged and structurally unsafe.**)
- 61. Submitting report relative to request for **EMERGENCY DEMOLITION** of the property located at 3836 Martin, Bldg. 101. (**Recent inspection revealed the property is extensively fire damaged and structurally unsafe.**)
- 62. Submitting report relative to request for **EMERGENCY DEMOLITION** of the property located at 16333 Tireman, Bldg. 101. (**Recent inspection revealed the property is extensively fire damaged and structurally unsafe.**)
- 63. Submitting report relative to request for **EMERGENCY DEMOLITION** of the property located at 4148 Western, Bldg. 101. (**Recent inspection revealed the property is extensively fire damaged and structurally unsafe.**)
- 64. Submitting report relative to request for **EMERGENCY DEMOLITION** of the property located at 1016-8 Fernhill, Bldg. 101. (**Recent inspection found the above location to be occupied. The proper location for the Emergency action was 1006-8 Fernhill. Therefore, it is recommended that the demolition order be <b>RESCINDED.**)
- Submitting report relative to request for **DEMOLITION** of property located at 2484 N. LaSalle Gardens, Bldg. 101. (**Recent inspection revealed that a Certificate of Approval was issued by the Housing Department on July 25, 2008. Therefore, it is recommended that the demolition order be <b>RESCINDED.**)
- 66. Submitting report relative to request for **DEMOLITION** of property located at 14806 Sussex, Bldg. 101. (**Recent inspection revealed that the owners of the property were not notified. Therefore, it is recommended that the demolition order be RESCINDED.)**

- 67. Submitting report relative to request for **DEFERRAL OF DEMOLITION ORDER** on property located at 276-8 E. Bethune. (**Recent inspection revealed**that the building to be secure and appears to be sound and repairable.
  Therefore it is recommended that demolition be **DEFERRED** for a period of three months subject to conditions of order.)
- 68. Submitting report relative to request for **DEFERRAL OF DEMOLITION ORDER** on property located at 15369 Burgess. (**Recent inspection revealed**that the building to be secure and appears to be sound and repairable.
  Therefore it is recommended that demolition be **DEFERRED** for a period of three months subject to conditions of order.)
- 69. Submitting report relative to request for **DEFERRAL OF DEMOLITION ORDER** on property located at 13565-75 Gratiot. (**Recent inspection revealed that the building to be secure and appears to be sound and repairable. Therefore it is recommended that demolition be DEFERRED for a period of three months subject to conditions of order.**)
- 70. Submitting report relative to request for **DEFERRAL OF DEMOLITION ORDER** on property located at 2404 Helen. (**Recent inspection revealed that**the building to be secure and appears to be sound and repairable. Therefore
  it is recommended that demolition be **DEFERRED** for a period of three
  months subject to conditions of order.)
- 71. Submitting report relative to request for **DEFERRAL OF DEMOLITION ORDER** on property located at 14630 Ilene. (**Recent inspection revealed that** the building to be secure and appears to be sound and repairable. Therefore it is recommended that demolition be **DEFERRED** for a period of three months subject to conditions of order.)
- 72. Submitting report relative to request for **DEFERRAL OF DEMOLITION ORDER** on property located at 17125 Murray Hill. (**Recent inspection revealed**that the building to be secure and appears to be sound and repairable.
  Therefore it is recommended that demolition be **DEFERRED** for a period of three months subject to conditions of order.)
- 73. Submitting report relative to request for **DEFERRAL OF DEMOLITION ORDER** on property located at 14608 Patton. (**Recent inspection revealed that** the building to be secure and appears to be sound and repairable. Therefore it is recommended that demolition be **DEFERRED** for a period of three months subject to conditions of order.)
- 74. Submitting report relative to request for **DEFERRAL OF DEMOLITION ORDER** on property located at 13203 Caldwell. (**Recent inspection revealed**that the building did not meet the requirements of the application to defer.
  Therefore it is recommended that request for **DEFERRAL BE DENIED** and to **PROCEED WITH DEMOLITION ORDER**.)
- 75. Submitting report relative to request for **DEFERRAL OF DEMOLITION ORDER** on property located at 18491 Evergreen. (**Recent inspection revealed**that the building is open to trespass, contrary to the conditions of the
  deferral. Therefore it is recommended that request for **DEFERRAL BE DENIED** and to **PROCEED** WITH **DEMOLITION ORDER**.)

## CITY COUNCIL RESEARCH AND ANALYSIS DIVISION

76. Submitting report relative to Status of Greater Detroit Resource Recovery Authority (GDRRA) and Resource Recovery Facility (RRF)

## POLICE DEPARTMENT

- 77. Submitting report relative to citizen complaint regarding vacant dwelling at 2372 Tuxedo. (Department investigation revealed neither illegal activity nor children playing inside at location. The Western District will continue to monitor the location for criminal activity and take the appropriate action when necessary.)
- 78. Submitting report relative to citizen complaint regarding slow response time to the stripping of siding and fixtures from property located at 4801 University Place. (Department investigation determined there were calls for service to the address twice in April: April 8<sup>th</sup>, a unit responded regarding siding being stripped for vacant dwelling, April 18<sup>th</sup>, a unit dispatched to investigate the stripping of and abandoned house. Neither investigation found perpetrators at the location. The Eastern District will continue to monitor the location.)

## PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

79. Submitting report relative to Petition of Kate Civil (#2513), for installation of new "Street Name" signs in area of Warrington and Wakefield. (**Department indicate the street name sign at Wakefield and Norfolk was installed on July 23, 2008.**)

## WATER AND SEWERAGE DEPARTMENT

80. Submitting report in response to Council Member Watson' request for information relative to Policy Change – No Longer Accepting Personal Checks for Payment of Water Bill. (Department indicates policy had not changed as it relates to customers paying their normal water bills, however, as it relates to the outstanding balances (Tax Roll Lien warning letter), payment must be made by certified check, money order, or cash.)

## **MISCELLANEOUS**

- 81. **Council President Kenneth V. Cockrel, Jr.,** submitting Memorandum on behalf of Petition of UCCA Mark Loeb Consultant relative to "Annual Noel Night", December 6, 2008, in Cultural Center, with temporary street closures in area of Woodward, Cass, John R., Ferry, Kirby, and Farnsworth.
- 82. **Council President Kenneth V. Cockrel, Jr.,** submitting Memorandum relative to Petition of Green Acres Woodward Civic Association (GWCA) (#0684), for conversion of alley to easement in area of Livernois, Warrington, Pembroke, and Chippewa.
- 83. Council President Kenneth V. Cockrel, Jr., submitting Memorandum on behalf of Constituent Complaint relative to need for investigation of Chuck's Millionaire Club, located at 14701 Plymouth Road; where various illegal activities are conducted which plagues the surrounding community. (Request Police Department conducts a thorough investigation and report submitted along with homicide records and crime statistics for the community near Chuck's Millionaire Club.)
- 84. **Council President Kenneth V. Cockrel, Jr.,** submitting Memorandum on behalf of Peggy Steward relative to property located at 14883 Kentucky; open, dangerous, infested with raccoons, with trash inside and around property.
- 85. **Council President Kenneth V. Cockrel, Jr.,** submitting Memorandum relative to numerous properties that need grass cut and garbage removed in area bordered by E. Outer Drive, Seven Mile Road, Hoover, and E. McNichols: 18925 and 18471 Teppert, 17667 Albion, 18945 and 17133 Hoover, as well, Greiner and Beland (triple vacant lot, overgrown lawn, and various overgrown lawns on commercial properties at E. McNichols and Seven Mile Road.

- 86. **Council President Kenneth V. Cockrel, Jr.,** submitting Memorandum relative to numerous properties that need to be made safe in area bordered by E. Outer Drive, Seven Mile Road, Hoover, and E. McNichols: 18974 Blackmoor, 18684 Algonac, 18471 and 17382 Teppert, and 18937 Hoover.
- 87. Submitting Petition of The American Health Emporium (#2397), request for hearing to show how the City's public drinking water fountains can provide delicious drinking water, crystal clear water and most safe, healthier drinking water. (SCHEDULE HEARING?)
- 88. Submitting Petition of Wyoman C. Mitchell (#2843), request to have ten minute parking signs in front of Greyhound Bus Terminal Changed to twenty minute parking signs.